

## SELECTMEN ASK TAX RELIEF FOR SHELTERS

The Wilmington Board of Selectmen, Monday night voted unanimously to memorialize both the United States Congress and the Massachusetts Legislature for tax-relief for private home owners who build Fall-Out Shelters for the protection of

eral and State tax returns to homeowners who construct air raid shelters, and further that local communities be authorized to grant abatements on real estate values up to \$500, equal to the cost of shelter construction.

munity.

Among those who were present for the discussion was Civil Defense Director Rene La Rivee who told the Selectmen that three feet of earth would protect a family from nuclear fall out, that the Civil Defense has prepared plans for the construction of nuclear shelters in the cellars of private homes, and that one of the things he had observed was that people were afraid of having to pay additional taxes. The discussion was initiated by

a newspaper. He added that in the present instance the article in the Town Crier was of sufficient importance to be the basis of a discussion.

The discussion found all the Selectmen to be in favor of a program of tax relief on shelters, although Mrs Drew said, for her part, that she would rather be found dead upstairs than in a shelter.

The Civil Defense Shelter, La Rivee assured the board, would save thousands if not millions of lives, depending on the severity of an attack by a potential enemy. He told the Selectmen that there are 89 prime targets within the United States, one of which is assumed to be in Cambridge, as being the place where most people would be killed or injured from one nuclear bomb.

If the Cambridge target were hit, La Rivee said, Wilmington residents in the south and central parts of town would be in danger of being destroyed but people in the northern part of town would be relatively safe.

La Rivee, as an afterthought, said that while there are 89 targets in the US assumed to have been picked by the Soviets he had no doubt but that the US also had a number of targets, perhaps similar in number, picked in Russia.

### TEXT OF SELECTMEN'S MESSAGE

TO CONGRESS AND LEGISLATURE  
Sent to Senators Saltonstall and Smith, and Representative Morse, in Congress, and Senator Long and Representatives Tanner and Donohue in the Legislature.

The current crisis in Berlin provides compelling evidence of the necessity of perfecting our civil defense program.

Yet, the apathy of the individual citizen toward initiating measures to protect his own life and those of his family, is unchanged.

The principal reason, locally we have learned through personal inquiry, is economic. Many homeowners in our community have evinced some interest and desire to construct home air raid shelters. But they fear that if they do they will be adding to the already heavy tax burden they bear.

This feeling undoubtedly is true in other communities.

Believing that the taxpayers are waiting for their elected representatives to provide a solution for their problem, the Wilmington Board of Selectmen voted at a regular meeting Monday, August 14, to memorialize the Congress and the Massachusetts legislature, urging that tax measures be adopted, which would aid home owners to finance the construction of fall-out shelters.

Two proposals were suggested; that,

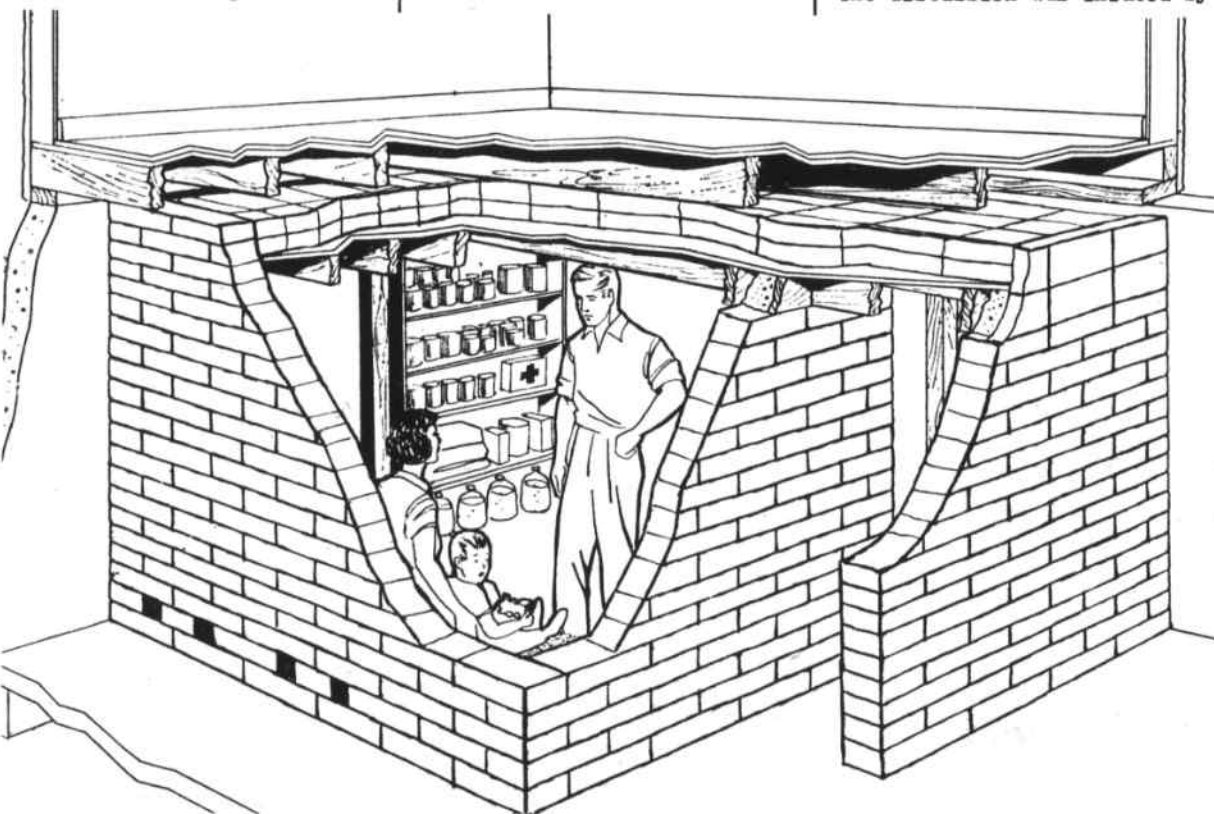
1.-Income tax deductions of up to \$500 be allowed on Federal and State returns to home owners for sums expended for construction of home air raid shelters; and

2.-Local communities be authorized to grant abatements on real estate tax values up to \$500, equal to the cost of the shelter construction.

It may be that more comprehensive proposals than these will be adopted by the Congress and the Legislature. But these would, at least, give some tax relief to the hard-pressed home owner. At that same time such measures would spur added interest in the civil defense program, which could be so vital to our continued existence as a nation.

May I repeat our thanks in your continued interest in the welfare of our community.

Sincerely,  
John D. Brooks  
Chmn. Board of Selectmen



**CIVIL DEFENSE BASEMENT SHELTER**  
Picture shown by Mr. La Rivee, Civil Defense Director, to Board of Selectmen, during discussion of nuclear fall-out shelters.

their families in the event of nuclear warfare.

Adopting a suggestion first printed in the Town Crier two weeks ago, the Selectmen are asking that income tax deductions be allowed on both Fed-

Recognizing that Congress or the Legislature may have more comprehensive plans or proposals, the Selectmen worded their letter in the form of a proposal, as designed to promote the welfare of the com-

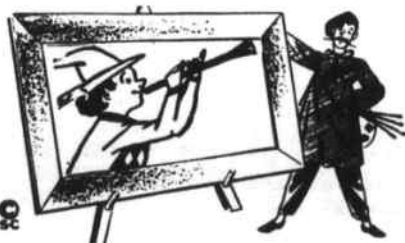
John Brooks, Chairman of the Board. Mr. Brooks, who is City Editor of the Boston Daily Record, curiously enough prefaced his discussion with a remark that he never pays attention to stories he sees in

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## ASK DOGS BE RESTRAINED

Wilmington's Selectmen have voted a resolution that the owners of Wilmington dogs restrain their dogs, by properly leasing them, or by confining the dogs on the property of their owners.

The resolution, which is to be posted in two places in town, according to the provisions of Chapter 140, is a milder form of the action that the Selectmen could take, on restraining dogs.

The Selectmen, had they so chosen, could have issued the order as a positive one restraining all dogs on penalty of death for the dog, and a \$20 fine for the owner. They are so empowered under the provisions of Chapter 140 of the General Laws.

The action, which took place in the Monday night Selectmens meeting, came as a result of a letter from Bob Winchell of Lawrence Street, one of the fathers of the two children on that street who were bitten by a dog several weeks ago.

Wilmington had 1427 dogs according to the 1960 census, and 1378 according to the 1959 dog count. In the latter year

there were 576 complaints to Dog Officer Leo LeBlanc, who was complimented, Monday night by the Selectmen as a 'conscientious dog officer'.

According to a report by Officer LeBlanc, the dog which bit the two children has been restrained since that day. No sign of rabies has yet appeared.

### NEAR DROWNING REPORTED

#### IN HATHAWAY'S PIT

An 11 year old North Reading girl was rushed to the St. John's Hospital last Saturday, in the Fire Department ambulance. The girl was nearly drowned, while swimming in Hathaway's pit, in North Wilmington.

She was identified as Miss Linda Cameron, of Oakdale Road North Reading.

### HIZZONER HEADS JIMMY FUND APPEAL

His Honor George Spanos, Honorary Mayor of Wilmington, is again heading the annual Jimmy Fund Appeal in Wilmington.

Collections this year will be made next week, on Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

## SILVER LAKE SWIMMING MEET AUGUST 27TH

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The Swimming Meets of the Silver Lake Town Beach are to be revived this year, with the donation of awards by the Silver Lake Pharmacy, on Main St. 21 different trophies have been donated by Louis Hailson, Pharmacist and Owner, for the meet, which is scheduled for the afternoon of August 27th.,

under the direction of life-guards Bill Hall, Mike Morell, Dick Allard and Jack Bowen.

There will be four events for children 12 years and younger, a 200 yard freestyle for girls under 16, a 200 yard freestyle for boys under 16, and a men's open, for a 1/2 mile distance.

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## THE OLD PIPE ORGAN

The old pipe organ in the Congregational Church is to be repaired. So the church voted a couple of weeks ago, in a special meeting. The church is to spend a few thousand, and keep the old organ.

The new churches have electronic organs, which, the experts assure us, are indistinguishable in tone and quality from the old style instrument.

The old pipe organ had sort of laid down and died, during services one Sunday morning this summer, but Mr. Kelley, the organist, by some sort of legerdemain had it running again that afternoon, for a wedding.

The members of the church were faced with spending several thousands for repairs, or even more thousands for a new organ. It may have been economy that actuated some of the votes, but sentiment played a bigger part.

The experts can assure the world, but sentiment too, has its place.

## PERSONNEL BOARDS

There is an amusing sidelight to the story of Hector Gianascol, the new manager of the Reading Municipal Light Department, and that concerns his experiences with the Personnel Board of Reading.

Practically every town has a Personnel Board which is charged with the duty of evaluating Town jobs, and seeing that the proper pay is given to employees - proper meaning, of course, neither too much nor too little.

If the pay seems to be too high the taxpayers will be heard from, and if the pay seems to be too low the employees will be heard from, so it isn't always easy.

Anyway, back in 1953 the Municipal Light Board of Reading voted that Hector should have the title of Assistant Manager. This would mean a raise in pay, and the Personnel Board, facing all their problems, figured that other employees wouldn't be happy - or so we guess.

So the Personnel Board called Hector a Distribution Engineer, and set his pay accordingly and he had eight years of holding down a dual-title job, one of which was recognized by one department of his town, and the other recognized by another department.



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## TENNIS COURT NETS

Someone, we don't know whom, has been growling because the nets in the tennis courts beside the Roman House aren't strictly 100% Kosher.

Said Growlee, it is alleged, feels that the town should furnish nets that meet all the specifications of Forest Hills or Wimbledon - in other words suitable for High Class Match Play.

That would be fine, but it would cost a lot of money. The town would have to buy new nets, not every year but every few months, nets that would soon be destroyed by some of the young people who use the courts and are learning the game.

The town, we would say, has a very suitable compromise. Three of the four courts are equipped with steel nets that last for several seasons. In the center of these nets there is a brace which lifts up the top, and keeps the nets at the approximate level required.

The fourth court is without a net at all. If any tennis players desire things to be absolutely de rigueur they can bring their own net, and set it just as they choose.

Which ought to keep everyone happy.

## LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS TO MEET IN LEGION HALL

General Meetings for the Provisional League of Women Voters, of Wilmington, have been planned for the second Wednesday of each month, September through May, and excluding December, in the American Legion Hall, on Middlesex Ave.

The Board of Directors have prepared an interesting and diversified program for the coming year. Topics to be covered will include Town Government, Regional Planning, Civil Service and Constitutional Revision. The meetings are to be open to the public.

Members of the Know Your Town Committee of the League (Mrs. Donald Allen, Chmn.) are in the process of compiling data concerning the Town of Wilmington. A brief history is to be presented in the September meeting, and the members of the committee will continue working on the structure of the town government, to be presented at a later general meeting. Sometime within the next two years this information will be published in a booklet form by the League and copies will be sold to raise money for various League activities.

activities.

A skit, 'This is the League, Mrs Jones' is to be presented at the September General meeting by members of the Membership Committee, Mrs. George Robertie, Chairman. Several members of the League are to take part in the skit, which is being specially prepared to answer questions concerning the League and its activities.

## DEMOCRATIC COOKOUT

4:30 SATURDAY

Several hundred of the more prominent Democrats of both Wilmington and the State of Massachusetts (and a few Republicans too) are expected to converge on the estate of Rene J La Rivee, 64 Concord Street, for the annual Wilmington Democratic Cookout, Saturday afternoon.

The Democrats and friends will start their festivities at 4:30 pm.



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## TOWN NOTES

### The Bridge

It finally happened. A car drove off Middlesex Avenue, and into Lubber's Brook, where the new bridge is being built in North Wilmington.

The car was a Volkswagen, and two North Reading boys were the passengers. The accident was about 10:30 pm Sunday, and neither of the No. Reading lads, miraculously enough, had any injury.

North Wilmington denizens are gloating. They have been predicting such an accident ever since last June 2nd, when the work started. It's just the perverse character of the North Wilmingtonites that made them so predict, but now they're happy.

The cop on the job, incidentally, has started to predict when the job will be finished. 'Give them another month', he says, and then adds, softly, 'The month of December'.

### The Annual Brawl

Wilmington Rotary had its annual picnic, at Tyngsboro, last week, and as usual there was one man who missed out on the Lobsters: Namely and to the lobster.

This year it was Lt. Robert Woods, of the Fire Department, and therein hangs more than just a tale.

Bobby saved his lobster, at the picnic dinner. He was going to take it home, and enjoy it later. He put it in a cotton bag, for safe keeping.

Then, as the afternoon wore on Bobby saw a good chance to make a swap with another gent, and ended up with two lobsters in the bag. Somehow, later on, a third lobster was also safely sacked, and Bobby was

in a gourmet's heaven, thinking of the fine eating he was going to have in his home, all by himself.

But Bobby made a tactical error. He stopped to join in one of the cardgames, and while he was engrossed in studying the color of the cards that Harry Huntley dealt out, someone swiped the lobsters, sack and all.

Going without the lobster was bad enough, but what happened in the Fire Station Sunday afternoon shouldn't happen to any fine up-and-coming Fire Lieutenant, or even Private.

Upstairs, on the table, was a graveyard scene, complete with cross, and crying towels spread all over the place.

There also was a Pome, entitled THE FLY ON THE WALL.

'Three lobsters were stolen and no one knows why

A fat little man began to cry  
So here are the shells all empty and clean,

There's nothing in them but you can always dream'.

Bobby, incidentally, has had the sympathy of Henry Porter. Henry, it seems has had the same experience, i.e. no lobsters, for several years in a row. One year he even went so far as to bury his lobster, and some low-life saw him and dug it up.

### Space Age Parking Lot

We note, in connection with the new Space Age Building at Avco that the plans show parking space for an additional 375 cars, to the east of the building.

Can we call it the Space Age Parking Lot?

### Rats

Residents of Nichols Street are up in arms about some huge rats, which they state are coming from one of the cellars in the neighborhood.

### ST THOMAS CHURCH PLANNING FIELD DAY SEPTEMBER 23RD

A mammoth field day is being planned by St. Thomas Church, on the church grounds, on Sept 23rd. It will include field games for children, an auction in the afternoon (with movies for children during the auction), a supper in the evening and a band concert.

The field day committee met Monday night, at Villanova Hall, and will meet again on Sept. 11th.



## NEW READING LIGHT MANAGER HIGHLY EXPERIENCED

Hector L. Ganascol, the new manager of the Municipal Light Department of Reading (which serves Wilmington) is one of the most highly recognized men in the field of Public Utilities, both in engineering and in service.



Mr. Ganascol, who lives on Haverhill Street, in Reading, has been with the Reading Light Department since 1930, and before that served with both Lynn Gas & Electric and General Electric. He began his service with the Reading Light as a meter supervisor, and on August 1st, just passed, was appointed Manager.

Ganascol started his engineering career in Tufts University, during World War I, and in his years in the Public Utility field has presented many papers on public utility service and engineering to state utility engineering societies. In 1937 his study on the Economics of Meters was published by McGraw-Hill, in the Electrical World.

Locally much of the progress of the Light Department was forecast by studies made by Ganascol. The present expansion of the facilities were prepared back in 1955 by Mr. Ganascol, shortly after he had been named Assistant Manager of the department.

He served two terms as president of the Municipal Electric Inspectors Association of Mass and Rhode Island, and in 1951 was chairman of the committee which assisted in the formulation of the electrical wiring code of Massachusetts.

A Registered Professional Engineer, he and Mrs. Ganascol live at 681 Haverhill Street in Reading. Their son, Alfred J. is a medical doctor associated with the Langley Porter Clinic of the University of California, and a Phi Beta Kappa graduate of Williams College and Columbia University Medical School.

## CHAPTER 90 CONTRACT APPROVED

The 1961 Chapter 90 Contract for state and county assistance in construction of Concord and Federal Streets, has been approved by State Engineers in the sum of \$15,200.

In addition to this sum, which will be supplied by the state, the Town must supply \$7600 and the County \$7600.

## \$15,000 VOTED FOR VETERAN'S AID IN EMERGENCY MEASURE

\$15,000 in additional funds has been voted under Emergency Powers of the Board of Selectmen, for Veteran's Aid, in the Town of Wilmington, for the year 1960. The Selectmen voted the sum Monday night, to be charged against 1961 taxes.

A letter from Veteran's Officer Arthur B. Harper disclosed that \$22,384 had been spent for Veteran's Welfare in 1961, to date. The sum of \$20,000 had been allocated in the annual Town Meeting last March.

The extra \$15,000 was voted after the Selectmen had noted that in 1959 the Veteran's costs was about \$27,000, and in 1960 about \$37,000.

## METHODISTS NAME NEW ASSISTANT PASTOR



Rev. Terry Clay Thomason of the Wilmington Methodist Church announced today the appointment of a new staff member, the Rev. Fred Hess, who will be Assistant Pastor. Mr. Hess will also assume the duties of Director of Music for the church beginning this September.

A graduate of Trenton Central High School, Trenton, New Jersey, Mr. Hess attended the College of Wooster in Ohio, graduating with honors in 1959. While a student at the College of Wooster he won three letters for varsity tennis. After graduating, Mr. Hess enrolled in the Boston University School of Theology, where he is now a senior. He spent last year studying at Cambridge University in England, during which time he traveled widely through Western Europe and the British Isles.

Mr. Hess has also served as Assistant pastor of the West Fitchburg, Methodist Church Fitchburg, Mass. He will arrive in Wilmington on August 26, and will officially assume his duties on September 8.

"We feel fortunate in securing the services of a man of Mr. Hess's caliber," Mr. Thomas said.

The minister further stated that the church now has a full staff to begin the fall program. Mrs. Donald Razez will be continuing as Church Secretary Mrs. Raymond Gardner as Church Organist and Mr. Donald Hills as Church Custodian.

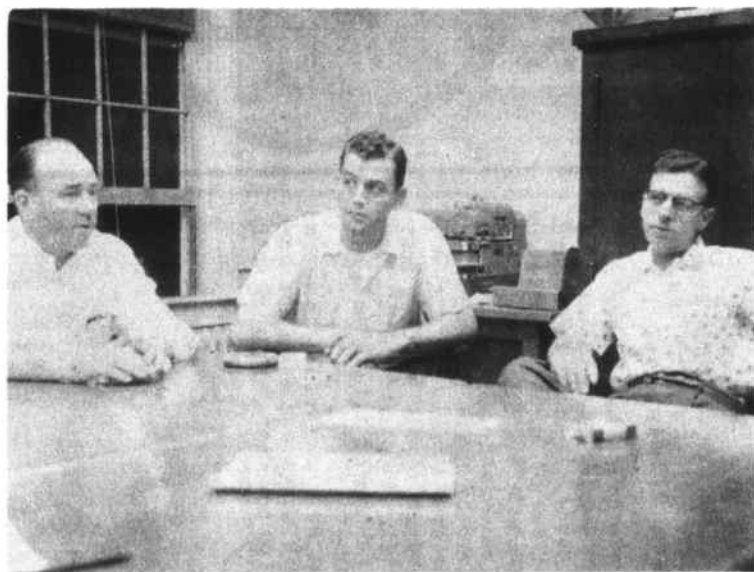
## PASS TEST FOR FIREMEN

Thomas G. Buckle, 80 Church Street, Stuart Paulsen, 35 Church Street, and Philip R. Watson, of 37 Main Street were named, in a list made public last Saturday by the State House, as being eligible for appointment to the Wilmington Fire Department after having passed Civil Service examinations.



## BACK ON THE JOB

Melville Woodside, of the Wilmington Center Pharmacy Inc., who has returned to work after his recent heart attack. With him is his daughter, Mrs. Carol Jean Woodside MacMullin, also a Registered Pharmacist. Mel and Mrs. MacMullin are one of the very few father-daughter pharmacist combinations in Massachusetts.



## FIRST MEETING OF TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE

The Transportation Committee, an advisory committee to the Board of Selectmen, talking with Chairman John Brooks of the Selectmen Monday night. There has been no formal organization, but Eddie Shelley, (right) of Atlantic Avenue is to be the recorder.

Paul Duggan (left) of Harvard Avenue is a railway union official, and Lloyd Bender, (center) is the former president of the JCs.

The committee's duties are to advise the Selectmen on transportation difficulties that may arise, relative to the population of Wilmington.

## APPOINTED NOTARY PUBLIC

Mrs. Marilyn Fenton, of the A & M Fenton Real Estate Company, has been appointed a Notary Public, by Secretary of State Kevin H. White.

The appointment was dated August 11th.

## EXECUTIVE MEETING - HEALTH BOARD AND SELECTMEN

The Board of Selectmen and the Board of Health met for about half an hour, in executive meeting, Monday night. No announcement was made as to the subject of the discussion.

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**NO PROGRESS REPORT**  
**ON COWIE HOUSE**  
A letter from Attorney William Sullivan of Wakefield, attorney for Bob Cowie of Balaudvale Street, reported 'no progress' in efforts to have the house moved to a different site at a cost of less than \$12,000. The letter was read to the Selectmen's meeting Monday night.

Under the provisions of the town vote for the new Salem Street school the Selectmen are charged with moving the Cowie house to another site, because it is in the area designated for the school yard. The sum of money allocated by agreement was \$12,000. Information given to the board by Selectman De Felice was that it will cost \$8500 to move the house, and more money to fix it up afterwards, for a total sum of \$14,400 as a minimum.



**"THROW IT MY WAY!"** — Director Robert Ford, at right, stands ready to receive ball, during recreation time at the Summer Day Camp for Retarded Children, in Stoneham.

EMARC (East Middlesex Association for Retarded Children) Summer Day Camp is again enjoying a successful season with 33 children attending the eight week program. Six communities — Wakefield, Stoneham, Reading, Burlington, Woburn, and Melrose — are cooperating in the financing of the program. The communities pay half the cost and the Commonwealth pays the remainder.

Boston University's School of Education, has been associated with the program since its beginnings. Counselors include Miss Diane Alfoni of Wakefield, Miss Susan Mathey of Stoneham, Miss Mary Ball of Wakefield, Miss Elizabeth Osborne of Winchelsea, Miss Alfoni and Miss Osborne assisted with the Summer Day Camp last year. Miss Osborne, a college

**HEATING COSTS HIGH?**  
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**OUR COLONIAL HERITAGE**  
Girl Scouts at Wigisadace, at Camp Forty Acres had Our Colonial Heritage as a motif, in the Open House held last Tuesday. In Colonial costume, preparing a dye of Blueberries are (front) Linda Tulk and Susan Keane of North Street, and (rear) Cathy Lounsbury, Shady Lane Drive; Jane Latta, Morse Ave; and Pamela Pearson, Oakdale Road.



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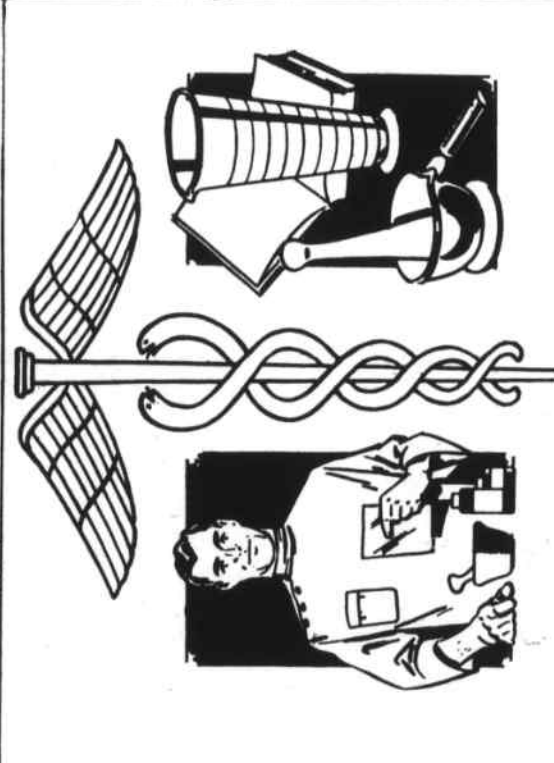
Two volunteer workers also are assisting with the program: Miss Cynthia Dunne and Miss Gall Jamison of Reading.

The Camp operates on a five day a week basis from ten in the morning until three in the afternoon. Transportation is provided for the youngsters. The program includes arts and crafts and the usual playground equipment is available for the campers' use. The Camp opened July 3 and will continue until August 25.



**OVERNIGHT CAMPERS**

Preparing for their 'overnight' (last Tuesday) at Camp Forty Acres are Betty Jeanne Nary of Tewksbury, Maureen Corie of Ballardvale St. Lorraine Arsenault of Billerica, Carla Jamison of Woburn Street, and Roberta Turner of Billerica. About a dozen girls enjoyed an overnight camping experience.



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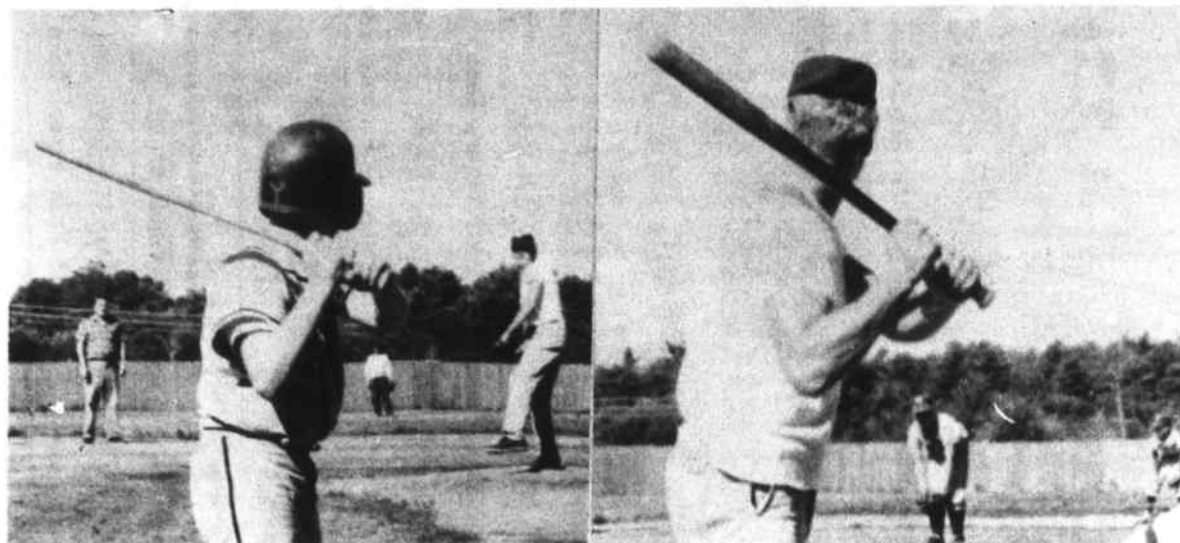


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## CLEAN SWEEP FOR LITTLE LEAGUERS

It was a clean sweep for the Little Leaguers Sunday afternoon, as their mothers and dads went down to defeat before the Minor and Major League All-Stars. The Mothers were defeated 6 to 3, and the Dads 6 to 5. Four bats were broken in the process, a new record for the Wilmington Little League field in one day. The Mothers were allowed four outs to an inning, and the Dads were automatically out if they hit the ball over the fence (160 feet). Other than this there were no changes in Little League rules - except that the ladies put 20 players on the field in the last inning. The Dads played to win, but found themselves stiff, and further, unable to judge the time to strike at the ball when at bat, due to the shorter distance from the pitcher's



**MUTCHLER TO MUTCHLER, AND MUTCHLER TO MUTCHLER**  
 Ernie Mutchler pitching to Billy Mutchler (left) and Billy pitching to Ernie, as father and son faced each other during the game. Billy Mutchler is one of the best pitchers in the Little League.



**THE OPENING BATTERY**  
 The opening battery for the Major League All Stars were Jimmy Yentile (right) and Bobby Finney.



**THE DUKE**  
 The nattiest looking Dad who played was Alfonso Dell Isola of Brand Avenue.

box. Both the Little League Major pitchers, Jimmy Yentile and Billy Mutchler pitched a fast ball, which added to the Dads confusion.

Jimmy Cappozzi, playing right field for the Majors, made one of the best catches of the game, and Kenny Simard the best hit for the Little Leaguers, to left field.

At times it looked as if the Dads were missing the catch on purpose, as when Ray McNamara



**THEY'RE REBELS, THEN IS**  
 Says Private Raymond A. McNamara, US Volunteers, as he surveys the field with four bats slung over his shoulder, all ready to do and die for Dear Old Dads.

missed a grounder that went between his legs just below the knees - but Mac was really trying.

Billy Peters, heavy hitting star of the Majors, hit five foul balls in succession while trying for a homer. He ended up with a one bagger to right field.



**CHIEF UMPIRING IS FUN**  
 Says Little League Chief Umpire Joe Paglis, when you have an assistant like Mary Malatesta.



**PETERS TO PETERS TO PETERS**  
 Joe Peters, Jr., Umpire; Joe Peters Sr., President of the Little League, catcher; and Mark Peters, heavy hitter, at bat.



**CHAMPION MINOR LEAGUERS**  
 The Red Legs, of the Minor League of Wilmington Little League, who won the championship, with 8 wins and 2 losses.

Front, L to R Bobby Cowie, Canny Mann, Phil Fenton, Billy Sheehan, Dave Boeri, Bobby Dragan  
 2nd Row: Dave Eisonlonis, Ron Watson, Ray Le Pore, Jimmy Tidlesley, Sidney Tildesley, Peter Pellerin, Allan Swan.

Back: Chuck Clark, Jack Calandrillo, Eddie Baker, Jimmy Kennedy, Chuck Kennedy, Steve Conley.

The coaches are Bob Cowie and Jim Tildesley, and missing from the picture are Paul Maloney and Chuck Jacobus.



**SOME OF THE MINOR LEAGUE ALL STARS**  
 L to R, Front, Robert Dragan, Jack Calandrillo, Joe Woods III, David Thompson and Charles Sicard. Rear: Phil Fenton, Don Smallidge, Thomas Patterson and Chip Fogg.



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## MERRIMACS WIN THE TOWN CRIER TROPHY

It was four to two, Monday night, in the playoff for the Town Crier Cup, and the better team, the Merrimacs, came out on top.

The Town Crier Trophy was awarded Wednesday night, to sit on the mantel piece of owner Paul McCabe, and the only person connected with the Gildart Townies who isn't in tears is owner Larry Gildart.

'You have to lose sometime,' Larry said, philosophically to Manager Jimmy Tighe, after the game was over.

It was a strange game. George 'Obie' O'Brien, one of the best soft-ball pitchers in Wilmington, had an off-night. It was, everyone said, the worst game he had ever pitched and yet his team won, because the Townies were all thumbs

while the Merrimacs were all Out for Victory.

But there is one man who knows why the Townies lost - Cagy Sam Ethier, Manager Emeritus of the Townies, and inventor of the Cagy Sam Scoring Sticks.

It's all elemental to Sam. Every time the Townies played the Weinbergs they were jinxed in their game against the next team. It happened the whole season, and last Friday night the Townies played the Weinbergs.

Ipsos facto they lost the game Monday - the most important game of the year - the Playoff Game for the Town Crier Trophy. 'Somebody' says Sam, darkly, 'Somebody in that Weinberg Team has the Evil Eye for the Townies'.



### A NEW FACE

Extensive repairs are being made to the Center School this summer, including new front steps, better sheltered from the weather, and new walks and parking area. The lawn is shortly to be seeded by the town Park Department.



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### PRESCHOOL REGISTRATION

All children not registered for Grade I in the Wilmington Public School System, but who will be six (6) years of age on or before December 31, 1961 and all transfers from other towns are required to register at the High School on the following dates, from 9am to 4pm.

August 23, 1961--All children whose names begin with letters A - M.  
August 24, 1961--All children whose names begin with letters N - Z

All children are required by State Law to have in their possession at the time of registration for first grade a legal birth certificate obtained from the town in which they were born, a certificate of successful vaccination, or letter from a physician stating that a vaccination cannot be given due to the health of the child. This is a State requirement.

Under new State Law you can get a birth certificate from the Town Clerk for 50¢.

The School Department urgently requests parents not to wait until the opening day of school to register, since this will mean last minute changes in grade and school placement, bus transportation, and classroom loads, resulting in much inconvenience to all concerned.

### CAROL RAUSEO ATTENDS AIRLINE SCHOOL

Miss Carol Rauseo, 89 Morse Avenue has enrolled in the Bay State Academy Airlines School.

The school, located in the Copley Square section of Boston, trains students for positions in ground-and-air passenger service phases of the Airline Industry.

### CHOSEN FOR JURY POOL

Mrs. Dorothy Rice, Linda Road North Wilmington, has been named by the Board of Selectmen to serve in the Jury Pool in East Cambridge Court, beginning Sept. 11th.

### PROTESTS OTHER USERS TO WATER MAIN

Malcolm H. Budd of Bancroft Street, and a neighbor, paid \$532 in 1953 to have a two inch water main laid to their homes, with the understanding that other persons who might want water from the main would have to pay their share of the costs.

He told the Selectmen Monday night that another home is now to be connected to the main, and cited Water Superintendent Edmund Sargent as the authority for the original statement that other people could not use the main without payment of their share.

Mr. Budd exhibited receipts for the money he had paid, and added that the people who are now to be connected had refused to join in, in 1953, saying that they had preferred to buy a mink coat for the lady of the house.

Now, Budd told the Selectmen, 'they have the coat, and are getting the water too!'

The Selectmen took the case under advisement.

### WATER SKIING ON LAKE CAUSES COMPLAINT

The Board of Selectmen, Monday night, received a letter from a G. Fahey of 2 Pond Place, Cambridge, complaining about fast motor boats and water skiing on Silver Lake. The letter called the skiers 'cow boys zooming around the lake at 25 miles an hour' and said that they endanger fishermen and children in bathing, some of whom are using innertubes for support in the water.

### TOWN OF WILMINGTON



### BOARD OF SELECTMEN PUBLIC HEARING

A public hearing will be held in the Town Hall at 8:30 pm August 28, 1961, on the application of the Meredith Co. 31 State Street, Boston, for a license for the storage of 1000 gallons of anti-freeze and motor oil in above ground tanks, and 17,050 gallons of gasoline, fuel oil and waste oil in underground tanks at 321 to 331 inclusive, Main St.

John D. Brooks, Chmn.  
A10, 17 Board of Selectmen.

### TOWN OF WILMINGTON



### BOARD OF APPEALS PUBLIC HEARING 33-61

A public hearing will be held in the Town Hall at 8 pm Sept. 12, 1961, on the appeal of Douglas C Saunders Jr., 30 Lowell Street, Wilmington, for a variance to change the use of a variety shop at Parker and Lowell Streets to a Barber Shop.

Louis E. Gage, Chmn.  
A17, 24 Board of Appeals

### BOARD OF APPEALS PUBLIC HEARING 34-61

A public hearing will be held in the Town Hall at 8:30 pm Sept 12, 1961 on the appeal of County Real Estate Company, agents for Daniel J and Angela C Walsh, 24 Court St Newtonville, Mass. for a variance in zoning-permission to sell a house on a lot not conforming to the zoning laws, created unknowingly in 1957, at 1 Canal Street (formerly Shawsheen Street)

Louis E Gage, Chmn.  
A17, 24 Board of Appeals

### BOARD OF APPEALS PUBLIC HEARING 35-61

A public hearing will be held in the Town Hall at 9 pm Sept. 12, 1961, on the request of Ayco RAD, 201 Lowell Street, for a variance to allow for the construction of a 2000 ft. parking lot beyond the 30 ft. extension of industrial zone, permitted by by-law, and for approval of installation of a cooling tower and elevator penthouse 14 ft and 3 ft respectively above the permitted height of buildings by zoning by-law.

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WALTER A. RICH  
Son of Mr and Mrs William L.  
Rich, 669 Main Street.

### BIRTHS

FISHER, Douglas, 1st son, 3rd child, to Mr and Mrs Douglas Fisher, 120 Lake Street, in Choate Memorial Hospital, Aug. third.

Grandparents are Mrs Stanley Thiffault of Watertown, and Mr and Mrs Henry Leinhard of Elwood Road, (their 17th grandchild).

HARDY, Jack Anderson, to Mr and Mrs Jack Hardy, 199 Wildwood St., first son, second child, in Winchester Hospital, August 7th.

Grandparents are Mr and Mrs Albert Richards of Reading and

Mr and Mrs Harold Hardy of Park Street.

LORD, Sandra Gene, 4th daughter to Mr and Mrs Edward Lord, Carlisle, in Emerson Hospital, July 25th.

Grandparents are Mrs Irene Lord of Carlisle, and Mr and Mrs Henry Lienhard of Elwood Road, (their 16th grandchild).

### BABY ADOPTED

Mr and Mrs Hugh Porter (Florence Spear) of Mammoth Road, Pelham, N.H., formerly of Wilmington, have announced the adoption of a baby boy, Leland Charles Porter, born on April 17, 1962.

### SELECTMEN TO ALLOW REDEMPTION OF LAND ON NORTH STREET

The Board of Selectmen, Monday night voted to sell to Mrs Sandra Andrews of Canton, for the sum of \$598.73, a lot of land which she formerly owned, on North Street, and which was taken for the non-payment of taxes since 1954.

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### MARGARET BELL

Funeral services for Margaret (Morgan) Bell of Kidder Place were held on August 14 in the Methodist Church with the Rev. Terry C. Thomason officiating. Burial followed in the family lot in Wildwood Cemetery.

Mrs Bell passed away suddenly Friday, August 11, at the Lowell General Hospital. Born in Glasgow, Scotland, 58 years ago, Mrs Bell was the wife of Walter Bell and had lived on Kidder Place for the past 9 years. Besides her husband she leaves a daughter, Mrs. June Barlas of Middleton, and sons John of Tewksbury and Alan G. at home.

The Nichols Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

### ALBERT PENNY

Funeral services for Albert Penny of 33 Oakdale Road, No. Wilmington, were held on Wednesday, August 16 at the Church of the Good Shepard in Reading, with the Rev. Deacon of Lawrence officiating. Burial was in the family lot in Wildwood Cemetery. Pallbearers were John Penny, Thomas pender gast, John Holloway, Ralph Chislett, Arthur Peck, Samuel Maybee.

Mr Penny passed away suddenly August 12 at Webber Hospital in Biddeford, Maine while on a visit with friends in Old Orchard. A resident of Wilmington for 14 years, Mr penny was born in Newfoundland 55 years ago. Besides his wife, Blanche (Bailey) Mr Penny leaves a son Albert J., a brother, David of Saugus, Baxter of Toronto, Canada and Gordon, Raymond, and Miss Morih Penny all of Newfoundland.

The Nichols Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.



### WINS SCHOLARSHIP

Miss Eleanor Kemp, daughter of Mr and Mrs John Stanley Kemp, 150 West Street, has been awarded a Freshman Scholarship to Barrington College in Barrington, Rhode Island.

Miss Kemp, who graduated from Wilmington High School in 1961 plans to further her education at Barrington College, where she will take the Missionary-Nursing course.

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